



TESTING ANNOUNCEMENT POLICE OFFICER CITY OF BRISTOL

**Application Deadline:**

5:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 5, 2006

Salary Range:

\$46,307 - \$56,336/yr.

General Notice: The City of Bristol is accepting applications for Police Officer testing to establish an eligibility list for filling future vacancies. Testing includes: Physical Ability, Written Examination, Oral Examination, Background Investigation, Psychological, Polygraph and Physical Exam.

Physical Ability: Applicants must register for the physical ability testing with Complete Health & Injury Prevention (CHIP) to obtain your CHIP card. The registration deadline is Saturday, July 8, 2006. Registration forms and information are available online at www.policecertificaiton.com or call CHIP at (203) 235-5865. The physical ability testing date will be Saturday, July 15, 2006.

Application Packet: Packets are available online at the City of Bristol's website www.ci.bristol.ct.us by selecting the EMPLOYMENT tab, then JOB POSTING tab on the left side of the main page OR at the City of Bristol Personnel Department, 111 N. Main St., 2nd Floor, Bristol, CT 06010. Telephone (860) 584-6175. Office Hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. The packet includes a City of Bristol Employment Application, CHIP Registration Forms, and directions. Original Employment Applications must be received in the Personnel Department by 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, July 5, 2006.

Minimum Qualifications

Education: High School graduate or GED equivalent.

Age: Twenty-one (21) years of age to attend the Academy.

Citizenship: Must be United States Citizen.

Driver's License: Applicants must possess and maintain a valid Connecticut Driver's License upon hire date.

General Duties & Responsibilities

Responsible for enforcement of laws and ordinances, crime prevention, and the protection of life and property. Patrols assigned areas, responds to calls for police assistance, and enforces traffic regulations. Follows written and oral instructions, observes and accurately reports details, writes clear and concise reports. Deals effectively and fairly with all segments of society. Will be required to become proficient in the use of firearms.

Educational Reimbursement & Additional Compensation

Educational Reimbursement: The City of Bristol will pay for the complete cost of all books and tuition, at state college rates, for accredited courses as outlined by the bargaining agreement.

Additional Compensation: For satisfactory completion in an approved Degree program at an accredited college or university, employee's shall receive an additional \$14 per week for an Associate's Degree, or \$20 per week for a Bachelor's Degree, or \$22 per week for a Master's Degree over the employee's earned wages.

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Testing Process

<u>Format</u>	<u>Testing</u>	<u>Weight</u>
Physical Ability-CHIP Card	Pass/Fail	-----
Written Examination	Passing Score	50%
Oral Examination	Passing Score	50%

Written Examination: An invitation letter to the written test will be issued to all applicants that submit a City of Bristol Employment Application by the 5:00 p.m. deadline on Wednesday, July 5, 2006. The written examination is scheduled for Saturday, July 22, 2006. To obtain entrance to the written test, you must present a valid State or Federal photo identification (e.g. driver's license) AND a valid CHIP card (i.e. physical ability testing card).

Oral Examination: Applicants that successfully pass the written examination will be invited to the oral examination. Oral examination dates are tentatively being scheduled for early August 2006.

Veteran's Preference

The City of Bristol has a veterans preference which allows for 5 points (maximum score = 100 points) added after the successful completion of all portions of the examination for veterans having completed a minimum of 90 days of active military service with an honorable discharge or a discharge under honorable conditions. If you are a veteran, you will be requested to submit a copy of your DD214 Member 4 at the time of the oral examination so that we may determine if you are eligible for the military service credit. Veterans shall receive such credit upon submission of adequate proof to the Department of Personnel and such credit is only applied after successful completion of the oral examination.

Employment Benefits

- Competitive Pension Plan
- Comprehensive Medical & Dental Coverage
- Group Life & Disability Insurance
- Paid Vacation & Holidays
- Accrued Perfect Attendance Time
- Sick Leave

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Change of Address

It is the applicants responsibility to notify the Personnel Department of any Change of Address or Telephone Number on your application.